

June 10, 2019

## Via ECFS

Marlene J. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 - 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20054

Re: Accelerating Broadband Deployment, Broadband Deployment Advisory Committee (BDAC), GN Docket No. 17-83; Accelerating Wireline Broadband Deployment by Removing Barriers to Infrastructure Investment, WC Docket No. 17-84; Accelerating Wireless Broadband Deployment by Removing Barriers to Infrastructure Investment, WT Docket No. 17-79

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Please find attached a letter to Chairman Pai from Jim Matheson, CEO of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association ("NRECA"), attached to which is a White Paper prepared by NRECA entitled, "Broadband Deployment in Rural America Not Impeded by Pole Attachment Rates."

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions about this submission.

Sincerely,

/s/ Brian M. O'Hara
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